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For: NITRIDE GALLIUM COMPOUND

SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT EMISSION

DEVICE

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 7, 2004 (Paper No. 052904), for which a response was due on September 7, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a one month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to October 7, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.